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Dear Sir:

Before examining the present application on the merits, please amend the specification
and claims as follows: